



## **Funding Opportunities January 2013**

*Welcome to 2013! It's time to start thinking about starting relationships with foundations and consider seeking funding from government sources. If your organization has an annual operating budget of over \$500,000, you certainly should consider applying for federal funding. Should your organization have a smaller annual operating budget, consider collaborating with a larger organization in submitting a federal proposal.*

### **FOUNDATION FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**

#### **ARTS AND CULTURE**

##### **Collaborative Project Grants**

The Creative Work Fund invites artists and nonprofit organizations to create new art works through collaborations. It celebrates the role of artists as problem solvers and the making of art as a profound contribution to intellectual inquiry and to the strengthening of communities. Artists are encouraged to collaborate with nonprofit organizations of all kinds. The Creative Work Fund invites artists and nonprofit organizations to create new art works through collaborations. It celebrates the role of artists as problem solvers and the making of art as a profound contribution to intellectual inquiry and to the strengthening of communities. Artists are encouraged to collaborate with nonprofit organizations of all kinds. The Creative Work Fund awards grants that range in size from \$10,000 to \$40,000 for projects in which artists and nonprofit organizations are working closely together to create new art works. Any kind of nonprofit organization is eligible to apply to collaborate with an artist. The Fund takes the idea of a close working relationship between the artist and the organization very seriously and specifically wants to support the creation stage for a new art work.

Contact: Frances Phillips, Creative Work Fund Program Director

Phone: 415.402.2793

Grant link: <http://www.creativeworkfund.org/howtoapply.html>

**Deadline: March 1, 2013**

##### **Applications for grants from Jazz for Peace**

Grants of up to \$50,000 each will support organizations that benefit the world in some way and are lacking financial support. Grants will provide fundraising assistance. Nonprofits will receive personal coaching, step by step guidance, cultural event planning experience and expertise, and other assistance at no cost. Additional information is available on the organization's website. Who may apply: nonprofit organizations. Applications are due on the last day of each month.

Contact: John De Angelis

E-mail: [info@jazzforpeace.org](mailto:info@jazzforpeace.org)

Website: <http://www.jazzforpeace.org/grant.htm>

**Deadline: Rolling**

#### **CHILDREN AND YOUTH**

##### **Annie E. Casey Foundation**

The Annie E. Casey Foundation is a private charitable organization, dedicated to helping build better futures for disadvantaged children in the United States. It was established in 1948 by Jim Casey, one of the founders of UPS, and his siblings, who named the Foundation in honor of their mother. The primary mission of the Foundation is to foster public policies, human-service reforms, and community supports that more effectively meet the needs of today's vulnerable children and families. In pursuit of this goal, the Foundation makes grants that help states, cities and neighborhoods fashion more innovative, cost-effective responses to these needs.

Website: [www.aecf.org](http://www.aecf.org)

**Deadline: Rolling**

### **Baseball Tomorrow Fund, sponsored by Major League Baseball and the Major League Baseball Players Association**

Grants averaging approximately \$39,000 each will support efforts to increase young people's participation in baseball and softball through coaches' training, equipment, new fields, programs, and uniforms. Additional information is available on the program's Web site. Who may apply: nonprofit and tax-exempt, 501(c)(3) status, organizations (municipalities and school districts).

Contact: Baseball Tomorrow Fund

E-mail: [btf@mlb.com](mailto:btf@mlb.com)

Website: [http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/official\\_info/community/btf.jsp?content=about](http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/official_info/community/btf.jsp?content=about)

**Deadline: Rolling**

### **Goldman Sachs Foundation**

The foundation's grant-making interests include advancing high academic achievement at secondary schools, nurturing the abilities of promising youths, developing future entrepreneurs and global leaders, and honoring veterans. Additional information is available on the foundation's Web site. Who may apply: organizations that are classified as tax-exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Contact: Grants Administrator

Website: <http://www.gs.com/foundation>

**Deadline: Rolling**

## **CIVIL AND HUMAN RIGHTS**

### **Needmor Fund Offers Support for Community Organizing Efforts**

Core operating support is available to community organizing groups in the United States working to change social, economic, or political conditions that bar participation in democratic society. The mission of the [Needmor Fund](http://www.needmorfund.org) is to work with others to bring about social justice. To that end, the fund seeks to remove systemic barriers to the practice of democracy by encouraging the efforts of people who are working together for justice and the common good; encourage involvement in community affairs by people whose participation in democratic society has been systematically denied; and foster the active participation of all citizens in crafting a vision, values, and policies that are more equitable. The fund has identified community organizing as the most effective means for achieving these goals. The fund has two grantmaking cycles per year: 1) the Southeast and Southwest Cluster Grant for applicants located in Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, Arizona, New Mexico, and the southern portions of California and Texas (Deadline: January 10, 2013); and 2) the National Learning Community Grant (pre-application inquiry form deadline: May 31, 2013). The pre-application inquiry form must be submitted by all National Learning Community applicants that are not current grantees of the Needmor Fund. The fund's policy is to provide core operating support to grantee organizations for up to four years, after which time organizations may not re-apply for at least two years. In 2011, core grant amounts ranged from \$25,000 to \$40,000. Visit the Needmor Fund Web site for complete program guidelines, specific assessment criteria within each regional cluster and nationally, and application procedures.

Website: <http://www.needmorfund.org/procedures.htm>

**Deadline: January 10, 2012**

## **COMMUNITIES**

### **Allstate Foundation**

Grants will support programs in three areas: economic empowerment; safe and vital communities; and tolerance, inclusion, and diversity. Additional information is available on the foundation's Website. Who may apply: organizations classified as tax-exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Municipal, state, or federal government entities may also apply. Grant money may not support individuals, athletic teams, religious groups or groups located outside the United States, fund-raising events or sponsorships.

Contact: Allstate Foundation

Website: <http://www.allstatefoundation.org/grant-focus-areas>

**Deadline: Rolling**

## EDUCATION

### **EPS Response to Intervention (RTI) Grant Program**

Eligibility: K-12 school districts - The RTI Model For Providing Support, Instruction And Assessment For Learners At All Ability Levels Aligns With Current Federal Legislation, Such As The Individuals With Disabilities Education Improvement Act That Urges Schools To Focus On Ensuring All Students Are On The Path To Success By Addressing Difficulties. Award Minimum-\$25,000; Award Maximum-\$500,000; 12-18 awards; Additional Information- Peter.Cleary@schoolspecialty.com or visit or visit [www.eps.schoolspecialty.com/Sales](http://www.eps.schoolspecialty.com/Sales) to locate your local sales consultant if you have any questions regarding this opportunity. Applications will be accepted until a total of \$2 million in grants has been awarded.

**Deadline: Rolling**

## ENVIRONMENT

### **Applications for grants through the America's Great Outdoors:**

Developing the Next Generation of Conservationists program from the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation in cooperation with the Bureau of Land Management and the Bureau of Reclamation, to connect youths to the outdoors through conservation job-training programs. In 2013, approximately \$1.4 million will be available for matching grants nationwide. Grants are restricted to habitat and species restoration projects that directly benefit BLM and/or Reclamation facilities, lands, and programs. Who may apply: nonprofit organizations, government agencies, academic institutions, and tribal groups that have coordinated with and received a letter of support from the Bureau of Land Management.

Contact: National Fish and Wildlife Foundation

Website: [http://www.nfwf.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Charter\\_Programs\\_List&TEMPLATE=/CM/Content.cfm?ContentID=10000](http://www.nfwf.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Charter_Programs_List&TEMPLATE=/CM/Content.cfm?ContentID=10000)

**Deadline: January 21, 2013**

### **Entries for prizes from the Siemens We Can Change the World Challenge, with help from Discovery Education, the National Science Teachers Association, and the College Board.**

Teams of students and their adult advisers are invited to tackle environmental problems or issues and find replicable green solutions. High-school students are specifically challenged to address energy, biodiversity, land management, water conservation and cleanup, or air and climate. Student and teacher/mentor prizes, which vary according to grade level, include scholarships, savings bonds, school grants, adventure trips, school assemblies, and more. This year's challenge will award prizes totaling more than \$300,000.

Contact: Siemens Foundation

Website: <http://www.wecanchange.com>

**Deadline: March 5, 2013**

### **California Wildlands Grassroots Fund**

Applications for grants of up to \$5,000 each for projects that protect and preserve ecosystems, plants, natural landscapes, wildlands, and wildlife in California. Who may apply: organizations with budgets of \$100,000 or less that are classified as tax-exempt under Section 501(c)(3) or 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code, or individuals affiliated with those organizations.

Contact: California Wildlands Grassroots Fund

E-mail: [info@calwildlandsfund.org](mailto:info@calwildlandsfund.org)

Website: <http://www.calwildlandsfund.org>

**Deadline: Rolling**

### **Energy Foundation**

Grants will support projects in four areas: buildings, climate, power, and transportation. Building grants support policies that increase the energy efficiency of homes and businesses. Climate grants are for the promotion of state and regional policies to reduce pollution that contributes to global warming. Power grants are for projects that work to reduce carbon emissions from electric and gas utilities by promoting efficient and renewable energy and by reducing power generation from conventional coal-fired power plants. Transportation grants support policies that reduce vehicle global warming pollution and oil consumption. Additional information is available on the foundation's Web site. Who may apply: organizations classified as 501(c)(3) public charities by the Internal Revenue.

Contact: Energy Foundation  
E-mail: [energyfund@ef.org](mailto:energyfund@ef.org)  
Website: [http://www.ef.org/app\\_guidelines.cfm](http://www.ef.org/app_guidelines.cfm)  
**Deadline: Rolling**

## HEALTH

### California Wellness Foundation

Grants are made to organizations that provide direct services in disease prevention, health promotion, or wellness education in California. Proposed activities should fall into one of the following areas: diversity in the health professions, environmental health, healthy aging, mental health, teenage-pregnancy prevention, violence prevention, women's health, and issues related to work and health. Additional information is available on the Web site. Who may apply: organizations that are tax-exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and that are not private foundations as defined in under Section 509(a), or are public charities as defined under Section 170(b)(A)(vi). Government organizations may also apply.

Website: [http://www.calwellness.org/how\\_to\\_apply](http://www.calwellness.org/how_to_apply)

**Deadline: Rolling**

### Cigna Foundation

Grants will be awarded to nonprofit organizations that work in one of the following areas: the elimination of ethnic and gender disparities in health care; the health of women, children, and families; mental-health services for needy children; obesity prevention; and improving communication between patients and doctors, as well as the promotion of health literacy.

Contact: Cigna Corporation

E-mail: [foundationgrants@cigna.com](mailto:foundationgrants@cigna.com)

Website: <https://secure17.easymatch.com/cignagive/applications/agency/default.aspx?Skip=MultiLanding>

**Deadline: Rolling**

**Commonwealth Fund**, which supports research on health and social issues and makes grants to improve health-care practice and policy. Types of support include employee-matching gifts, program development, program evaluation, and research. Additional information is available on the organization's Web site. Who may apply: public agencies and organizations that are classified as tax-exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Contact: Commonwealth Fund

E-mail: [grants@cmwf.org](mailto:grants@cmwf.org)

Website: <http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Grants-and-Programs.aspx>

**Deadline: Rolling**

### Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's Changes in Health Care Financing and Organization program

The program focuses on research, demonstration, and evaluation projects that examine major changes in health-care financing and their effects on public policy. Proposed projects should focus on: the effects of current or proposed mechanisms for financing health services on health-care costs, access, and quality; or the development and testing of new ways to finance and organize health care that have the potential to improve access to more affordable and higher quality health services. Proposals from organizations on behalf of researchers who are just beginning their careers are encouraged. Additional information is available on the program's Web site. Who may apply: organizations and government entities; preference will be given to applicants that are either public agencies or nonprofit organizations that are tax-exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code; foundations that are defined as private under Section 509(a) are not eligible to apply.

Contact: AcademyHealth, Attn: HCFO

E-mail: [hcfo@academyhealth.org](mailto:hcfo@academyhealth.org)

Website: <http://www.hcfo.net>

**Deadline: Rolling**

## HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS

**The Avon Foundation for Women has announced a total of \$125,000 in grants available through the Healthy Relationship College Program.**

Colleges and universities can apply for support for dating abuse, sexual assault, and stalking prevention and awareness programs. A maximum of 25 projects will receive support.

Contact: Christine Jaworsky

E-mail: [christine.jaworsky@avon.com](mailto:christine.jaworsky@avon.com)

Website: <http://www.avonfoundation.org/grants/domestic-violence>

**Deadline: January 11, 2013**

## HOUSING

**Letters of interest to enter the Lowering the Cost of Housing Competition, administered by the Center for Design, Research, and Real Estate at Syracuse University School of Architecture, with support from Deutsche Bank and Enterprise Community Partners.**

The competition recognizes and supports the creation of innovative low-cost housing developments and will award up to \$250,000 in program-related investments to the winning proposal. Deutsche Bank Americas Foundation also is providing an additional \$50,000 to be awarded to proposals that show innovation in practice or industry understanding of cost-lowering measures. The competition is seeking submissions from multidisciplinary teams working to create multi-family housing projects that improve neighborhoods and reduce traditional developmental and building costs.

Contact: Center for Design, Research, and Real Estate

Website: <http://loweringcost.com>

**Deadline: January 15, 2013**

## PETS/ANIMALS

### **Amie's Place Foundation**

Applications for grants for nonprofit organizations that provide direct services for critically and chronically ill children and adults, veterans, frail older adults, and women and children fleeing domestic violence who risk losing their pets because no one is there to help.

Contact: Amie's Place Foundation

E-mail: [info@amiesplacefoundation.org](mailto:info@amiesplacefoundation.org)

Website: <http://www.amiesplacefoundation.org/html/apply.html>

**Deadline: Rolling**

### **Equine Fund, administered by the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals**

Grants from \$500 to \$15,000 will be given to equine-welfare organizations. Grants will support housing and rehabilitation of equine victims of cruelty seizures; emergency feed, hay, and supplements; training programs; safety net programs; and capital improvements and expansion programs. Additional information is available on the society's Web site. Who may apply: equine-welfare organizations that are classified as tax-exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Contact: ASPCA Equine Fund

E-mail: [equinefund@aspca.org](mailto:equinefund@aspca.org)

Website: <http://www.asPCA.org/About-Us/grants>

**Deadline: Rolling**

### **Maddie's Fund**

Accepting applications for projects that work with veterinarians, animal-rescue groups, and others to find homes for every adoptable cat and dog in a given community within five years. Proposals should include a description of the geographic area to be served, contact and financial information for all participating groups, demographic information on human and stray-pet populations, and a timeline for eliminating the deaths of all adoptable animals. Applications and guidelines are available on the foundation's Web site.

Contact: Maddie's Fund

E-mail: [info@maddiesfund.org](mailto:info@maddiesfund.org)

Web site: <http://www.maddiesfund.org>

**Deadline: Rolling**

**Petfinder Foundation and Pedigree Foundation to Petfinder.com.**

Accepting applications from member shelters and rescue groups for operational costs. Grants of up to \$1,000 each will support basic operation costs such as facilities, medical programs, transportation, and spaying and neutering programs. A total of \$150,000 will be given.

Contact: Toni Morgan, Petfinder Foundation

E-mail: [toni@petfinderfoundation.com](mailto:toni@petfinderfoundation.com)

**Deadline: Rolling**

**The Arthur L. and Elaine V. Johnson Foundation** can award grants to organizations which provide for the care, benefit, support and preservation of seeing eye dogs or other animals trained to assist the sight impaired or otherwise handicapped individuals (or that facilitate the use of such animals by site-impaired or otherwise handicapped individuals). They do not fund the therapeutic use of animals.

Website: [www.Aljfoundation.org/](http://www.Aljfoundation.org/)

**Deadline: Rolling**

**Keeping Pets and Families Together through the Banfield Charitable Trust**

The Banfield Charitable trust funds programs that help pets and their families stay together. The Pet Advocacy Grants are awarded twice a year. Guidelines and application can be downloaded at:

[www.banfieldcharitabletrust.org](http://www.banfieldcharitabletrust.org)

**Deadline: June 30 and November 30**

## **NONPROFITS**

**Funding from the Kimball Foundation.** The intent of the interim grant program is to be responsive to the needs of the nonprofit community, to encourage new ideas within the field, to boost small programs, and to support organizations that the Kimball Foundation has not yet funded. Eligible requests of \$10,000 or less must fall within the general grantmaking guidelines of the foundation and will be considered on a rolling basis, with decisions issued within approximately 30 days of a full review. Additional information is available on the foundation's Web site. Contact: Wendy Yu Einhorn, program coordinator

E-mail: [interim@kimballfoundation.org](mailto:interim@kimballfoundation.org)

Website: <http://www.pfs-llc.net/kimball/kimball.html>

**Deadline: Rolling**

## **FEDERAL FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**

### **ARTS AND HUMANITIES**

**National Endowment for the Arts**

Applications for grants through the Our Town program from the National Endowment for the Arts. Grants of up to \$200,000 each will support projects that shape a neighborhood, town, tribe, city, or region around arts and cultural activities. Who may apply: applicants must have partnerships in place that involve two primary collaborators: a nonprofit organization and a local government entity. One of the two primary partners must be a cultural organization.

E-mail: [ot@arts.gov](mailto:ot@arts.gov)

Website: <http://arts.gov/grants/apply/OurTown/index.html>

**Deadline: January 14, 2013**

**The NEA's Big Read: Grants for Community Read Programs**

The Big Read is a program of the National Endowment for the Arts in cooperation with Arts Midwest designed to revitalize the role of literature in American culture and to encourage citizens to read for pleasure and enlightenment. The Big Read provides U.S. communities with grants and comprehensive resources that support their efforts to read and discuss a single book or the work of a poet. The purpose of The Big Read is to encourage literary reading and enrich the cultural life of communities. The following information outlines the expectations and



requirements for Big Read organizations. Organizations may apply for grants ranging from \$2,500 to \$20,000. Grant size will be determined based on:

- Community population--for example, the suggested grant range for a small community with fewer than 50,000 residents is \$2,500-\$7,500; the suggested grant range for larger cities or towns is \$7,500-\$20,000.
- Number of activities planned--applicants demonstrating innovative and detailed plans to host more than the minimum required activities may be considered for grants at the upper end of the grant range.
- Overall strength of the application--based on the selection criteria.

Grants must be matched at least 1 to 1 with nonfederal funds. Grant funds may be used for such expenses as book purchases, speaker fees and travel, salaries, advertising, and venue rental. Please see the program budget instructions for more information

Contact: Arts Midwest staff

Phone: 612.238.8010

Grant link: [http://www.neabigread.org/application\\_process.php](http://www.neabigread.org/application_process.php)

**Deadline: February 5, 2013**

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

### Corporation for National and Community Services

The mission of the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) is to improve lives, strengthen communities, and foster civic participation through service and volunteering. CNCS-through its AmeriCorps and Senior Corps programs and the Social Innovation Fund-has helped to engage millions of citizens in meeting community and national challenges through service and volunteer action. This AmeriCorps State and National (AmeriCorps) Notice of Federal Funding Opportunity Notice (Notice) will focus grant making for fiscal year 2013 in six focus areas identified by the Serve America Act (SAA):

- \* Disaster Services
- \* Economic Opportunity
- \* Education
- \* Environmental Stewardship
- \* Healthy Futures
- \* Veterans and Military Families

AmeriCorps grants are awarded to eligible organizations engaged in evidence-based or evidence informed (e.g. performance data, research, theory of change) interventions that use AmeriCorps members to strengthen communities. An AmeriCorps member is an individual who engages in community service through an approved national service position. Members may receive a living allowance and other benefits while serving. Upon successful completion of their service, members receive a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award from the National Service Trust.

Website: [http://www.americorps.gov/for\\_organizations/funding/nofa\\_detail.asp?tbl\\_nofa\\_id=988](http://www.americorps.gov/for_organizations/funding/nofa_detail.asp?tbl_nofa_id=988)

**Deadline: February 6, 2012**

## EDUCATION

### U.S. Department of Education:

#### Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII), Magnet Schools Assistance Program

**Funding Opportunity Number:** ED-GRANTS-123112-001

Expected Number of Awards: 40

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$100,000,000

Award Ceiling: \$4,000,000

CFDA Number: 84.165-Magnet Schools Assistance

Eligible Applicants: LEAs or consortia of LEAs.

**Description:** Provides grants to eligible LEAs and consortia of LEAs to support magnet schools that are part of an approved desegregation plan. Must be used for to support the objectives of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). See announcement for more details.

Website: <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2012-12-31/pdf/2012-31434.pdf>

**Deadline: March 1, 2013**

**National Endowment for the Humanities: Preservation and Access Education and Training Grants****Funding Opportunity Number:** 20130501-PE**Award Ceiling:** \$350,000**CFDA Number:** 45.149-Promotion of the Humanities-Division of Preservation and Access**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** None**Eligible Applicants:**

State governments

County governments

City or township governments

Special district governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Private institutions of higher education

**Description:** The Preservation and Access Education and Training program is central to NEH's efforts to preserve and establish access to cultural heritage collections. Thousands of libraries, archives, museums, and historical organizations across the country maintain important collections of books and manuscripts, photographs, sound recordings and moving images, archaeological and ethnographic artifacts, art and material culture collections, electronic records, and digital objects. The challenge of preserving and making accessible such large and diverse holdings is enormous, and the need for knowledgeable staff is significant and ongoing. Preservation and Access Education and Training grants are awarded to organizations that offer national or regional (multistate) education and training programs. Grants aim to help the staff of cultural institutions, large and small, obtain the knowledge and skills needed to serve as effective stewards of humanities collections. Grants also support educational programs that prepare the next generation of conservators and preservation professionals, as well as projects that introduce the staff of cultural institutions to new information and advances in preservation and access practices.

**Website:** <http://www.neh.gov/grants/preservation/preservation-and-access-education-and-training>**Deadline:** May 1, 2013**Department of Defense-Science, Technology, Engineering****Funding Opportunity Number:** ONRBAA13-007**Category of Funding Activity:** Science and Technology and other Research and Development**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$3,000,000**Award Ceiling:** \$200,000**Award Floor:** \$25,000**CFDA Number:** 12.330-Science Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) for K-12 & Institutions of Higher Learning-NAVY**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** None**Eligible Applicants:**

Independent school districts

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Private institutions of higher education

For profit organizations other than small businesses

Small businesses

**Description:** The Office of Naval Research (ONR) is interested in receiving proposals for developing innovative solutions that directly support the development and maintenance of a robust STEM workforce. Successful efforts will be targeted towards one or more of the following: K-12, Undergraduate, Graduate STEM education. The goal of any proposed effort should be to provide "game changing" solutions that will establish and maintain a diverse pipeline of U.S. citizens who are interested in participating in Naval STEM education programs and who ultimately will be interested in STEM careers. This BAA also separately requests proposals for the evaluation of current and



future Naval STEM programs. This includes implementing methodologies and processes for data collection, analysis, and reporting, as well as methods for effectively evaluating programs and calculating return on investment for chosen programs. Only proposals invited following review of corresponding white paper will be considered for review.

Website: <http://www.onr.navy.mil/Contracts-Grants/Funding-Opportunities/Broad-Agency-Announcements.aspx>

**Deadline: September 30, 2013**

## **SAFETY**

### **Bureau of Justice Administration: Wrongful Conviction Review Program**

**Funding Opportunity Number:** BJA-2013-3414

Award Ceiling: \$250,000

CFDA Number: 16.746 -- Capital Case Litigation

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: None

Eligibility: Eligible applicants are limited to public and non-profit organizations with missions dedicated (in whole or in part) to exonerating the innocent, state or local public defender offices, and institutions of higher learning. Eligible applicants are limited to public and non-profit organizations with missions dedicated (in whole or in part) to exonerating the innocent, state or local public defender offices, and institutions of higher learning. Purpose: To provide high-quality and efficient representation for potentially wrongfully convicted defendants in cases of post-conviction claims of innocence.

Website: <https://www.bja.gov/Funding/13WrongfulConvictionSol.pdf>

**Deadline: February 6, 2013**

### **Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention-Mentoring Best Practice Research**

Expected Number of Awards: 75

Award Ceiling: \$500,000

CFDA Number: 16.726-Juvenile Mentoring Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: None

Eligible Applicants:

State governments

County governments

City or township governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Private institutions of higher education

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The primary applicant for this solicitation must be the organization conducting and leading the mentoring evaluation or research. While the lead evaluator/primary applicant may partner with additional research and program sites through subrecipient relationships, the primary applicant must clearly be the entity with primary responsibility for conducting the research or evaluation. **Description:** This program seeks to enhance what is understood about mentoring as a prevention and intervention strategy for youth who are at risk of involvement or already involved in the juvenile justice system. While mentoring appears to be a promising intervention for youth, more evaluation work is needed to further highlight the characteristics and components of a mentoring program that are most effective. Research is also needed to demonstrate the specific components of mentoring programs that have a significant impact in reducing juvenile delinquency and offending. This solicitation will fund research studies that will inform the design and delivery of mentoring programs. OJJDP expects that the results of this effort will encourage a more effective utilization of resources and enhance the implementation of evidence-based best practices for juvenile mentoring

Website: <http://www.ojjdp.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2013/MentoringResearch.pdf>

**Deadline: February 19, 2013**

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